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In response to the Office Action mailed August 20, 2008, Applicants request entry of the following claim amendments and consideration of the accompanying remarks. Applicants believe that no fees are required with this amendment. If any fees are required, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the same to the account of Barnes & Thornburg, Deposit Account No. 10-0435, with reference to our matter number 3220-73239.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims beginning on page 2. Remarks begin on page 6 of this paper.